

Remarks

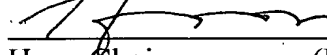
In the Office Action, it is required that the pending claims be restricted to one of two groups (Groups I-II). Applicants provisionally elect Group II, *i.e.*, claims 76-82 and 91-94, directed to methods of treatment.

In addition, it is indicated in the Office Action that an election of species is required. In this regard, Applicants provisionally elect: 1) (-)-O-desmethylvenlafaxine hydrochloride salt as the salt form; and 2) anxiety as the disorder. The elected species read on claim 92.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. However, should any fees be required for the submission of this paper, or to avoid abandonment of this application, please charge such fees to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013.

Respectfully Submitted,

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